** ANTARCTICA [and non]. 15475.98 RC USB, Sat Jan 20 from 1721 checking the best Argentine remote, NO signal from LRA36. Still zilch circa 1800, 1830, 1840, 1948, 2004, 2126, 2158, 2337. Like last week, it`s gone, temporarily or permanently? Wacky new Arg. Pres. ``Motosierra`` Milei is dedicated to ``privatizing`` Radio Nacional, with many personnel already fired. See:
https://www.radionacional.com.ar/hay-41-empresas-publicas-sujetas-a-privatizacion/

As Bill Tilford pointed out to me, Esperanza has been removed from the drop-down list of streaming Radio Nacional Emisoras, not boding well, at https://www.radionacional.com.ar/

The external service RAE would seem to be equally threatened, as it is part of Radio Nacional, but its webpage is still up,
https://www.radionacional.com.ar/rae/
including an undated 27-minute interview with a RAE Italian guy who visited Esperanza:
https://www.radionacional.com.ar/rae-en-la-antartida/

On Jan 19, I asked Manuel Méndez, Spain: ``We are concerned that LRA36 may have been deleted. Can you find out anything from your contacts? Glenn`` - His reply with my translation interspersed:

``Hola, Glenn, LRA 36 en la pasada campaña, la de 2023, tuvo un gran impulso gracias a Juan Benavente, un gran conocer de la radio, radioaficionado y al que le gusta mucho el trabajo que hizo.

Hello, Glenn, LRA 36 in the latest campaign, of 2023, got a great boost thanks to Juan Benavente, who really knows radio, is a ham, and really enjoyed the work he did.

Yo escribí a Radio Nacional para decirles lo conveniente que sería que Juan continuase a cargo de la emisora durante este nuevo año, o por lo menos que asesorase al nuevo personal que cada año se renueva, con el fin de seguir unas pautas similares a las del año 2023, además sé que Juan Benavente continuaría muy satisfecho haciendo ese trabajo.

I wrote to Radio Nacional to tell them how convenient it would be for Juan to continue in charge of the station during this new year, or at least advise the new personnel who turn over every year, with the objective of following guidelines similar to those of 2023; in addition, I know that Juan Benavente would continue to be very satisfied doing that job.

Personal de la Base y de Radio Nacional agradecieron mi email y por lo que sé, hicieron todo lo posible para que Juan continuase, pero al final nada de esto fue tenido en cuenta y Juan Benavente ya regresó a la Argentina, así que al final, por lo que yo sé, LRA 36 volverá a los años anteriores, es decir, seguramente tendremos que esperar semanas para que el nuevo personal se forme, tenga los conocimientos necesarios para operar la radio y puedan salir al aire.

Personnel at the base and of Radio Nacional thanked me for my email and as far as I know did everything possible for Juan to continue, but ultimately, nothing of this was taken into account, and Juan Benavente has already returned to Argentina; so that means that as far as I know, LRA 36 will return to previous years, that is, we shall surely have to wait weeks for the new personnel to get organized, trained how to operate the station, and then be able to go on the air.

Pero no sé nada de que LRA 36 haya cesado en sus transmisiones, no sé de donde pudo saber esa información. Lo que a mi me han comunicado es que volvereán con la campaña de verano cuando sea posible, pero no, desde luego, tal como ha sido en el año 2023. Recibe un cordial saludo. Habrá que estar atentos sobre todo los sábados. Manuel

But I don`t know at all whether LRA 36 has ceased transmissions, nor do I know where to find out that information. From what they told me, they will return with the summer session when possible, but not at all, of course, like it was in 2023. Cordial greetings. We must be alert especially on Saturdays. Manuel`` (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** ANTARCTICA. Just in from Manuel Méndez at 1708 UT Jan 21: ``Hola Glenn, pregunté hoy a Juan Benavente sobre la posible desmantelación de LRA 36, y me dice, y además me pide que lo haga saber en su nombre, o sea, que se nombre a él expresamente, lo siguiente:

1º Juan Benavente sigue vinculado a LRA 36 a través del Comando Antártico Argentino.

2º Los rumores sobre la privatización de la Radio Nacional Argentina son rotundamente falsos e intereados, realizados por la oposición política argentina, pero, repite, son rotundamente falsos.

3º LRA 36 no solo no va a desaparecer, no va a ser desmantelada, sino que, todo lo contrario, va a ser potenciada, recibiendo nuevo material, entre el que se encuentra el nuevo transmisor de 10 kW. Se están organizando para salir al aire con la nueva temporada.

Por favor, tradúcelo y hazlo saber en nombre de Juan Benavente, me lo pide él expresamente. Un cordial saludo.``

Google translation improved by gh:

Hello Glenn, I asked Juan Benavente today about the possible dismantling of LRA 36, and he tells me, and also asks me to do so in his name, that is, to expressly name him, the following:

1st, Juan Benavente remains linked to LRA 36 through the Argentine Antarctic Command.

2º, The rumors about the privatization of the Argentine National Radio are flatly false and self-serving, made by the Argentine political opposition, but, repeat, they are flatly false.

3º, LRA 36 not only is not going to disappear, it is not going to be dismantled, but, on the contrary, it is going to be enhanced, receiving new material, among which is the new 10 kW transmitter. They are organizing to go on air with the new season.

Please translate it and let it be known in the name of Juan Benavente, he expressly asks me to do so. A cordial greeting (via Glenn Hauser, WOR)

{It seems we have totally contradictory info about what`s ongoing - gh}

** CANADA [and non]. 300 MCW kHz, dash and YIV, Jan 18 at 0750 UT, 500 watt NDB at Island Lake MB, coords less than 54/95. Noise blanker on the NRD 545 makes the difference, still awful. Not heard this one in a longtime, since Jan 26, 2023 at 0706.

328 MCW kHz, dash and YTL, Jan 18 at 0752 UT, 1000 watts at Big Trout Lake ON, coords <54/90, which was also last logged along with YIV, Jan 26, 2023 at 0707. This time first audible at 327-USB. More less rare Canadians this time:

332 MCW kHz, dash and QT, Jan 18 at 0754 UT, 1000 watts at Thunder Bay ON, and underneath it JBA, IC, 400 watts at Wichita KS.

346 MCW khz, dash and YXL, Jan 18 at 0758 UT, 500 watts at Sioux Lookout ON, >50/<92 degrees. YXL and QT are the ones most likely to be audible now (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** CANADA [and non]. 351 MCW kHz, Jan 23 at 0747 UT, dash and YKQ, 500-watt ND beacon at Fort Rupert/Waskaganish, QC, at 51+/78- degrees N/W. Long time since last logged, March 19, 2023. RG on 350 at WRWA OKC remains gone so no problem there; but a little bit of LIttle Rock from 353 (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** CHINA [and non]. 11565, Jan 19 at 1621, CNR1 jammer, Chinese talk S7/S9 atop something else, i.e. RFA Chinese via TINIAN at 16-19. CNR1 // on 11670, which is VOA Tibetan via Philippines at 16-17, but nothing of that audible (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** CHINA [non]. 5910, Jan 20 at 0437 CRI via CUBA, S9+40 but undermodulated song; cannot hear any COLOMBIA underneath, off? (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** CHINA [and non]. 21800, Jan 22 at 2313, S9 but weakish Chinese, must be CNR1 jammer against Sound of Hope on its very highest frequency as wb often outpoints. Only other 13mb signal is weaker 21530.065 JBA carrier, in this case may really be SOH, Miaoli, Taiwan, lacking a jammer since it`s so far off-frequency (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** CHINA. 15760.00, Jan 23 at 1614, distorted Chinese at S8/9+5. Also // 13590 very distorted! S7/S9 with no stable carrier to detect; and // 13630 with OK modulation. At 1621, 11565 & 11670 non-distorted CNR1

jammers. 11775 at 1622, extremely distorted Chinese worst of all and splattering +/- 15. Aoki shows CNR1 jammer against SOH on 15760 but only until 1500; 13590 same until 1700; 11775 until 1730; 11670 against VOA, 11565 vs RFA. Jammer sites not known or guessed, but the extremely distorted ones likely from one site different from others. Deliberate? Makes jamming more ``effective``, but a stain upon ChiCom engineering quality for those not knowing such frequencies are really only to jam SOH (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** CLIPPERTON ISLAND [and non]. 24955 USB, Jan 24 at 2317, TX5S, ham DXpedition making quick pro-forma contacts, nothing but other station call, 5/9 and 73: seldom giving own call! I heard it once, and then again thrice at 2324. Said ``listening 5/10 up`` but he kept getting calls on same frequency from clueless WX6G, and another one. Mainly working USA and Japan. There was also someone on 24957 USB at times. Details on this DXP lasting till end of Jan: https://clip.pdxg.net/

``The Perseverance DX Group (PDXG) is organizing a team of experienced DXpedition and contest operators to activate Clipperton Island (IOTA NA-011), currently Clublog #38 most wanted (#26 EU). The team will be QRV on 160-6 meters, SSB, CW, RTTY, FT8, 6m EME, and Satellites. We plan to leave San Diego, California on Jan 11, 2024 and arrive Clipperton Jan 17, 2024. Current schedule is to be on the island for 14 days. The call sign TX5S was issued for this project...``

Before finding TX5S on 24955, I tried other planned frequencies: at 2307, 18130 USB had a domestic IL/FL QSO; 7095 & 21285 with no activity; 14195 with TI5VMJ contacting USA; 28485 no activity but a VA7 on 28486, all USB (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** CONGO. 6115, Jan 18 at 0500-0604, no signal from R. Congo into Canary Is SDR which ought to get it if reactivated in its morning, as it was in the evening per Manuel Mendez ---- o wait, at 0607 there is a JBA carrier on 6115 audible when tuned to 6114 USB; could that be Japan, very long path? (Glenn Hauser, OK, WORLD OF RADIO 2226)

** CUBA [non]. See FRANCE 9490

** CUBA. 15140, Jan 18 at 2012, RHC English reactivated after quite an absence, S9+25/30 direct, lite squeal, fairly good mod, the SSOB except USA 15730, 15825. Something`s not wrong at RHC (Glenn Hauser, OK, WORLD OF RADIO 2226) see also

** CUBA. 4765, Jan 20 at 0433, R. Progreso, YL speaking softly over somewhat distorted music, S9+30/40. Something`s always wrong at RadioCuba (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** CUBA. 6000, Jan 20 at 0438 RHC English, S9+30/40 undermodulated flanked by awful wide noisy spurblobs approx. 5992-5996 & 6004-6008. Something`s always wrong at RHC (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** CUBA [and non]. 5800, Jan 21 at 0808, wall-of-noise jamming not against nothing since there is also an open carrier, totalling S9+20,

no doubt WRMI-10 which is supposed to stop at 0400* after 0300 `Freedom Synergy Radio`, which Needs To Be Jammed since it`s pro-Taiwan, hence anti-Commie, ergo anti-Cuba. WRMI skedgrid with yet another self-contradixion: only the transmitter/frequency atop shows FSR, as System B that hour on 5800; while 9955 switches to System H for Czecho/Slovakia relays. The program sked below does not show FSR anywhere, Cz/Sl on 9955 as System B. But Prague also at 03-04 on 9955 as System H, blank at 04-05; and 5800 unaccounted for on any System after 0300! So I`m not sure if FSR be on the air at all now. BTW, 5800 supposedly on all day long 14-21 Sabbathdays only with TOMBS (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** EGYPT. 9439.995, Jan 23 at 2115-2120, NO signal from R. Cairo in English sesquihour unto UTwente. Something`s egregious in Egypt (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** EGYPT. 9439.931, Jan 24 at 2111, S9+25 of just barely sup/torted modulation into UTwente from R. Cairo, past 2118 as English sesquihour has supposedly started. At least the transmitter be on air today tho much further minus than usual; often nothing at all. Something`s egregious in Egypt (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** ETHIOPIA [non]. 17575, Fri Jan 19 at 1610, Horn-of-Africa music, S8/9+5. NOTHING listed anywhen in Aoki or EiBi, but HFCC:
17575 1600 1630 48W ISS 250 127 0 217 1234567 291023 300324 D 17400 AmhMul F RMI TDF 1069 OPM
and also line 443 abottom the WRMI skedgrid as Oromia Public Media at 1600-1630 on days 1/3/5 only, 250 kW from Issoudun, FRANCE, in Amharic [only]. With a name like that, shouldn`t it mainly be in Oromo?!

WRTH 2024 has this on pp 579-580: RAADIYOONII DIRREE SHAGGAR (RDS), 807 Irenic Court, Eagleville PA 19403, oromiapublicmedia.com, www.fb.com/raadiyooniids and produced by the NGO, OPM. But website is Unfound, with or without www. FB does connect, mainly lots of videos from 2023y, presumably also audio. Eagleville is not indexed or shown even in my 2013 large-scale RMcN road atlas! Found on the web, NW of Phila, near Norristown in Montgomery County (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** FRANCE. 9490+, Jan 22 at 0419, S9 of dead air, little if any jamming. Must be TDF not yet turned off after RMI R. República relay, always askew on high side but not remeasured now. HFCC registered as 0100-0200 & 0200-0300 both daily, also EiBi as 01-03 daily. Aoki shows the second hour extension applies only on days 1267 = UT Fri/Sat/Sun/Mon. I think this correct, or used to be but not rechecked lately.

WRMI skedgrid lines 441 & 442 show both on days 7123456, i.e. every; yet start/end dates differ: At 01-02: 291023 to 051123, but 02-03: 061123 to 300324. So that implies it`s always only one hour, but shifted one UT hour later with the end of DST in USA and the Running Dog of Yanqui Imperialism, Cuba.

So, Jan 23 from 0153 monitoring 9490 into Maryland and Florida SDRs:

nothing yet, but *0156 jamming starts! *0159 R.R. carrier on with the real Cuban NA and s/on, `Recuentro Informativo` totally overriding jamming. The two SDRs can`t agree how far off-frequency, Florida +78-95 Hz, or Maryland +51-67 Hz. But that indicates the transmitter is axually fluxuating some 16/17 Hz up and down.

Would you believe than own website https://www.radiorepublica.us/ has nothing about WRMI, 9490, nor any radio, just podcasts with up-to-date entries?! Likewise, https://www.directorio.org/radio-republica/

Careful, if you search without democratico you`ll wind up in non-democratic Cuba itself, like https://www.directoriocubano.info/ (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** FRANCE. 9490+, Jan 23 at 0346, S9/+10 of dead air with hum from TDF, again failing to turn it off at 0300 when RMI República finish. Something`s incompetent at ISSoudun (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** GERMANY. 3975, Jan 20 at 1601, SW Radio, VG into UTwente with Weekend Music Radio, WMR, starting with bagpipes, Scotland the Brave, morphing into othermusic. Following hour is that show with pop music from DJ in Scotland. We had just QSYed from 6160 after WORLD OF RADIO, see USA [and non] (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** KOREA NORTH [and non]. 7720, Jan 18 at 0746, Korean weak but noise jamming also audible for first time here. Echo of Hope from S to N Korea from Seoul site per Aoki at 07-03, not *marked as jammed. Gianni Serra, Roma, also reported ``QRM moderate buzz noise``, Jan 12 at 1644-1705 (Glenn Hauser, OOK, WOR)

** KOREA NORTH. 11645, Jan 19 at 1622, sweet choral music in DPRK style, S4/S5 - yes, per Aoki VOK at 15-18 in Arabic/English/Arabic <one hour each (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** NEW ZEALAND. 11685-11690-11695, Thu Jan 18 at 0740, surprised to encounter S9+20 DRM noise here. Presumed RNZI in one of their midweek transmitter tests as scheduled in drmrx.org only at 1756-1857 daily except Sats, 25 kW at 35 degrees -- and it cuts off the air already at 0741.4*. Then at 0743, I check 13755 which is supposed to be on now in AM, but no trace of it. Should be propagating or at least detectable (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** NORTH AMERICA. 6919 USB, Jan 20 at 0416, pirate with hard rock, S9/+10, ``Don`t Call Me White`` [?]; 0444 rap with lots of swearing. unID logs here https://www.hfunderground.com/board/index.php/topic,124343.0.html but finally as Unknown Name Radio Network at s/off 0512* (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** NORTH AMERICA. 7475, Jan 24 at 0412, JBA carrier, presumably anti-Christ pirate Station YHWH; Rick Barton, AZ, notifies earlier when it`s on but usually I check too late, so still on now? Yes, until 0421:20* says Walt Salmaniw, BC. Is anything else ever on 7475? Yes,

per EiBi but nothing in our nights after ChiCom jamming until 2400. HFCC shows nothing between 1900 and 1730, likewise Aoki and not even YHWH (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** NORTH AMERICA. 11514.9, Jan 19 at 1620, JBA carrier, still signature of Sonora or Arizona pirate, Hikari FM (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** NORTH AMERICA. 11514.9, Jan 23 at 1621, S3/S4 JBA maybe music from pirate Hikari FM. I wonder if he has any listeners or reports from Japan (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** OKLAHOMA [non]. 1640 kHz, Jan 21 circa 0200 UT, I notice that local KZLS Enid is OFF! No loss at all since it`s 100% // 1390 KCRC Enid, and 100% sports, mostly stupid ballgames, I assume. So what else may I hear on 1640? At 0404 I get around to checking: dominant looping NNE/SSW but some fades/out/in is a monolog about diversity at United AL, supposedly supported by FAA. Do we want anyone piloting with *any* disabilities? No commercial breaks for at least 15 minutes; by 0420 ridiculing ``diversity``. Then I scan the entire MW band on another radio for anything // - finding only one, but right away on 1690, looping NW/SE. That clinches both of them among the few stations on both frequencies per NRC AM Log:

1640, WSJP* Sussex WI; and 1690 KDMT* Arvada CO, both *non-commercial with Relevant Radio religious network. Furthermore, I listen to the Relevant Radio livestream around 0440 and hear the same topic, same program, which is `The Patrick Madrid Show (repeat)` at 0200-0500 UT Sundays. Hardly an improvement over stupid sports talk. Recheck at 1628 UT Jan 21, KZLS still off. Anything else to be heard at low noon, which is always 1832 UT here? Circa 1815 not even a JBA carrier on any of my receivers, antennas (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** OKLAHOMA [and non]. 1640 kHz, Jan 22 at 2315 UT, KZLS Enid is still off the air, unknown why. Observing DX logs from Europe and NZ, I daresay that our KZLS is the least-heard USA on 1640 -- because unlike most of them ND, KZLS is NNW/SSE day and night, i.e. shooting for the much huger OKC market, and from a site east of Hennessey, much closer to OKC than other ``Enid`` MW stations. But that should advantage it for DX to Latin America, unLatin Alyaska.

Just before 0200 UT Jan 23, I monitor KCRC 1390 for legal ID break in Fox Sports Radio: sure enough, imagines both stations, KZLS first, KCRC second! What do they know? {KZLS still OFF Jan 24-UT 25}

BTW, WTNI 1640 Biloxi MS used to give KZLS or whatever it used to be called, trouble even here in Enid, suspected of 10 kW ND day power at night, but have not heard it in a long time and find no other reports of it since September. What`s with that? (Glenn Hauser, Enid, WOR)

** OKLAHOMA. 90.1, UT Sat Jan 20 monitoring of KUCO anomalous programming again. From 0500 `Music from the Hearts of Space`, but 0600 followed by the other new `ambient` music show `Beyond the

Barrier`, with a second hour from 0700. Wasn`t awake to check further into night but presumably no PVDG classical DJ hookup as on other overnights, but happened to awaken at 1100 UT to hear `Beyond the Barrier` starting again, maybe its second hour again like 0700. Skedgrid still claims that is at 12-13 UT Sats = 6-7 AM CT, with 06-12 UT unaccounted for! And BtB still not added to the alfabetical list of programs (Glenn Hauser, Enid, WOR)

** PALAU [and non]. 9965, Jan 18 at 0813, Hope Radio weakly audible, but about equal to pulse jamming from CUBA! Which persists despite being unneeded since R. República quit Costa Rica site many years ago. T8WH or whatever may not be too bothered in Pac/As target, but why in the world choose a frequency ever jammed by Cuba? Sheer ignorance (Glenn Hauser, OK, WORLD OF RADIO 2226)

** ROMANIA. 9510, Jan 20 at 0449, RRI English outstanding S9+30/40 with excerpt of rock opera `Lucifer`, in English (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** SPAIN. 9690, Fri Jan 19 at 2308, token English from SNR, feature after news is about a plastic-pellet spill off Portugal, now washing up on the shores of Galicia, and difficult to clean up; interview someone from Worldwide Fund for Nature. Happened Dec 13 but took a month for Gal government to take axion against this ``crisis`` (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** SPAIN [and non]. 17755, Mon Jan 22 at 1629, no signal direct from REE; beamed south for Africa, always the worst signal here, but should be detectable. Presumably off, something not right at Noblejas.

Other TA signals are normal on 17850, 17880. REE`s other frequency, 17715 for SAm, is not starting until *1900 weekdays, but 17755 is supposed to start at *1600 weekdays. So REE is now audible only on 12030 for ME, S7/S9 off the back. 9690 for NAm will not be on either until *1900 weekdays.

Oh2! EiBi shows 17775, NOT 17755! At outset of B23 season there was confusion about that, maybe REE itself typoed. By 1725 I do detect VP 17755 JBA direct, NOT 17775. Furthermore, there is a het about 17755.6, maybe local birdie? Checking TWR RSA remote at 1730 timesignal, 17755 is VG but with a squeal, which implies the het be self-imposed. {EiBi still not corrected Jan 24}

Aoki does show correct 17755 for REE, not 17775, but would you believe it still has three entries there for defunct KVOH? Long before it crashed completely, KVOH quit using 17775 at all, years ago.

HFCC lists correct 17755 for SPAIN, not 17775: but on 17775 it does have an imaginary entry for WRMI! at 11-24 on NW 315 degree beam; in addition to true 17790 at 15-21 on SSE 160 degrees (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** SPAIN. 9690, Mon Jan 22 at 2309, token English from SNR, feature

interview about a ``residencia para señoritas`` possiblizing for the first time higher education for YLs in Spain, from Oct 1915 until the Spanish CW intervened in July 1936. VG here direct, other frequencies unchecked, nigh irrelevant (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** SPAIN. 17754.991, Jan 24 at 1736, REE to Africa off-frequency as measured at UTwente; checked after it sounded slightly minus direct at 1620 (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** SPAIN. 9690, Wed Jan 24 at 2310, token English VG from SNR with AcAw nomination news; 2312 feature interview with someone from the NGO `Goals [Gols?] for Freedom` which uses the language of fútbol somewhy, so a stupid ballgame can accomplish something positive? (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** TURKEY [and non]. 5960.003, Jan 19 at 2303, VOT English not off the air, S9+10/20 direct; 2337 when measured, S9+35/45 into UTwente, ``with-you-every-hour`` promo, music; 2341 ``always-by-your-side`` promo, `That`s Why`, about 3000-year old art: theatre, voiced by the badax. Haven`t heard segment called that before. 2347 `w-y-e-h`, again, song. 2353 s/off for the 1330 on 13635 only, plus satellite & internet without any details. 2354 IS until 2355.5*, no extraneous German, uncovering XJRTV in Chinese from East Turkistan, land of imperialist ChiCom genocide against Uyghurs and other Moslems (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** TURKEY. 9700, Jan 20 at 0415, TRT Turkish music, VG S9+30/40. Better than:

6125, Jan 20 at 0441, VOT English service only S9+20/30, Turkish music distorted, ``always-by-your-side`` promo and `That`s Why` segment again.

5960.002, Jan 20 at 2306, VOT English not off the air, VG S9+40/45 into UTwente. After news, at 2310, `The Energy Agenda` about efficiency. More music than usual followed. 2337 recheck, `Turkey`s Geomarked [sic] Products` repeat about the 5-year-bread. 2351, multi-lingual ID filler reel. 2354 s/off as if this were the 1330 on 13635 only. Seems to be the only version used lately, correct if woefully incomplete, and into IS in less than a minute before 2355 be reached. 2356 pause and restart IS with German IDs interspersed. Off about 15 seconds before 2400avoiding any further German, uncovering you-know-what:

In fairness, if I am going to denouce imperialist ChiCom genocide against Uyghurs and other Moslems, concerning the East Turkistanish QRM on 5960, I should also denounce the Turkish genocide of Armenians a century ago, still denied by Turkey; as in:
https://www.pbs.org/pov/films/aurorasunrise/
which I just watched today via OETA; not that this genocide were news to me (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** TURKEY. Since I report on VOT so much, this from Alan Holder Jan 21

is pertinent:

``[WOR] TURKIYE - VOT English service Letterbox programme returns January 21 -- The last time I heard "Letterbox" on Voice of Turkiye was in August 2020 if I remember correctly. After many requests by myself (and others no doubt), I was pleased to hear the programme return to the air today, acknowledging letters from some listeners in South Asia and from Ireland. The presenter, as previously, is Halil Ibrahim Sarikaya.

There were a few changes to the weekly English language programme line up from January 15, with "That's Why" and "The Energy Agenda" being new. They are also repeating the series "Turkish Folk Tales" heard a while ago and they now have a weekly Sports round-up.

Glenn's "badax" announcer has also given out her name, which is Efsun Duri Elgeler (I think I have the surname spelt correctly). Alan Holder, G4ZBH, Isle of Wight, U.K.`` (via Glenn Hauser, WOR)

** TURKEY [and non]. 5960.003, Jan 22 at 2308, VOT not off the air, fair direct. Into UTwente at 2339, VG in ``with-you-every-hour`` promo, music; 2344 multi-lingual ID filler reel, music; 2350 s/off as if this were the 1330 on 13635, and ID until off at 2355:30*, just in time to avoid German, uncovering fellow genocidal Chicom-controlled XJRTV (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** TURKEY [non]. 5960, from the land of Armenian genocide denial, Jan 23 at 2300, no signal direct from VOT English to US, except some random noise; JBA carrier on possible overrun 9610. Checking UTwente at 2333, 5960 is nothing but Chinese from East Turkistan, std denunciation; while 9610.002 S6-S7 JBA in language not English. TWR New Delhi gets 9610 much better: must be the only thing listed now, CNR8 in Mongolian from Beijing site. Something`s always erroneous at Emirler (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** TURKEY. ``Re: Turkey January 23 5960. I’m not surprised Glenn it was a no show for the English to North America from 2300 as it was absent on 9610 English 2130-2230. Continuing problems at Emirler! Craig Tyson, Perth, Western Australia``.

5960.003, Jan 24 at 2301, S9+10 but JBA music direct, unlike VOT which would be at sign-on into news; and too early for XJRTV to be on. A JBA carrier on 9610, doubtful VOT either. Not rechecked until 2350 when measured at UTwente, S9+25/35 obviously VOT now with Turkishish song, but kept playing that, no announcements, s/off or IS until chopoff at 2357* uncovering the fellow genocidal station. Evidently the `English` hour ran fill music instead. Something`s awry at Ankara, erroneous at Emirler (via Glenn Hauser, WOR)

** U S A. 257 MCW kHz, Jan 20 at 0757 UT, JYR, 25-watt ND beacon at York, Nebraska, manages to barely overcome the local line noise level. Last logged almost a biyear ago, Feb 4, 2022 at 0717. This and the next are not too far beyond Kansas:

293 MCW kHz, Jan 20 at 0758 UT, FBY, 25-watt NDB at Fairbury NE (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** U S A. 305 MCW kHz, Jan 19 at 0727 UT, JBA NDB, RO, maybe mixing with another ID. I was tuned to 303-USB, but this must be 305, ROswell NM, 150 watts (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** U S A. 353 MCW kHz, Jan 21 at 0753 UT, LI, 400 watt NDB ``Lasky`` at LIttle Rock AR, hardly anything else vs noise level (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** U S A [non]. 6080 & 9775, Sat Jan 20 at 0451 jazz from VOA but no Willis Conover, // but not synchronized as 6080 is SAO TOME and 9775 is BOTSWANA; both S9+20 but 6080 sounds louder (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** U S A [and non]. WORLD OF RADIO 2225 monitoring: ``From: Richard Lemke, St. Albert, Alberta, Canada, the desk of Richard's listening Post, Radio: JRC NRD-535 HF, Antenna: random long wires in the trees. Dear Glenn: Update, confirming WOR #2225, WRMI, 9395:
QRN, 0030, 0044, 0059 (55443-4),
0230 music filler, January 17 UTC 2024 [Wed]
0130, music filler,
0230, 0244, 0259 (55433), 0259, January 18 UTC 2024 [Thu] (Lemke, Richard -AB)``

Confirmed UT Thursday January 18 on WRMI 5010, S9+25/30 into Georgia SDR, but JBA carrier into Bonaire where it`s aimed!

Also confirmed UT Thursday January 18 at 0230 on WRMI 9395, S7/9+12 into Georgia SDR.

Also confirmed Thursday January 18 at 1734 the 1730 on Shortwave Radio, Germany, 3975.001, S9/+5 into UTwente. Glad SWR decided to air WOR, missing from SW in Europe since IRRS quit. I keep missing ID times, but notice it`s still going with DJ/music shows, 1915 ``commercial`` for ass-wipes, ha2; past 1938 but fading out (Glenn Hauser, OK, WORLD OF RADIO 2226)

** U S A [and non]. WORLD OF RADIO 2226 contents: Antarctica, Brasil, Canada and non, China, Congo, Cuba, East Turkistan, Germany, Iceland, Indonesia, Israel, (Japan), Korea North & South, Myanmar, Netherlands, Palau and non, Perú, Sri Lanka, (Taiwan), Thailand, Turkey, UK, USA, Vanuatu, Vietnam non; propagation outlook - (countries mentioned along with others not in order)

WOR 2226 available from 0433 UT Friday January 19:
(mp3 stream) https://www.w4uvh.net/wor2226.m3u
(mp3 download) https://www.w4uvh.net/wor2226.mp3

Or via http://www.worldofradio.com/audiomid.html
Also linx to podcast services.

2130 UT Friday IRRS 1323 & 918? & 207?-Italy
2300 UT Friday WRMI 9955 to SSE [also webcast, phonecast; jammed?]
0130 UT Saturday WRMI 5850 to NW
1530 UT Saturday SW Radio Gold, Germany 6160
1830 UT Saturday SW Radio Gold, Germany 3975
2030vUT Saturday WA0RCR 1860-AM
0100 UT Sunday WRMI 9955 to SSE [also web-, phonecast; jammed?]
0330vUT Sunday WA0RCR 1860-AM [nominal 0415; as late as 0600]
1130 UT Sunday WRMI 9955 [also webcast, phonecast; jammed by Cuba?]
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2230 UT Sunday SW Radio Gold, Germany 3975
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** U S A [and non]. WORLD OF RADIO 2226 monitoring: confirmed Friday January 19 at 2143 the 2130 on IRRS SW via AM Italia, 1323 kHz, S9+5 into UTwente, no QRM. Also confirmed on WRMI webcast-only.

Also confirmed Friday January 19 at 2300 on WRMI 9955, S9+20/30 direct. Next:

0130 UT Saturday WRMI 5850 to NW
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0400vUT Monday WBCQ Area 51 6160v to WSW
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(Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** U S A [and non]. WORLD OF RADIO 2226 monitoring: confirmed UT Saturday January 20 at 0139 the 0130 on WRMI 5850, S9+15/25 into Missouri SDR.

Confirmed Saturday January 20 at 1551 the new 1530 on Shortwave Radio, Germany, just as I am talking about SWR adding WOR, S9+10/15 into UTwente and only 1 or 2 Hz from 6160.000, also VG modulation, sounds like more than 1 kW. Page 549 of WRTH 2024 shows address as c/o WWDX Club, PO Box 1214, D-61282 Bad Homburg, but site is Winsen an der Aller, 2 x 1 kW. E-mail: studio@shortwaveradio.de That`s in Lower Saxony, just NE of Hanover; in north-central Germany between Amsterdam and Berlin. Who are the L.P.?

WOR was on time, ending at 1559, jingle ID as ``Shortwave Radio`` not appending ``Gold`` as sometimes reported, ``due to Chinese invasion, retune now to 3975; 6160 resumes tomorrow at 0900``. 6160 already had splash from 6165 CRI, also S9+10/15. Per EiBi, CRI on 6165 at 1500-1700 is from Urumqi, EAST TURKISTAN, at 1600 going from Pashto to Turkish; CNR6 from Beijing to Taiwan also on 6165 at 2155-1605. See GERMANY for more on 3975.

WOR 2226 also confirmed Sat Jan 20 from 1832 on SW Radio, Germany, 3975, S9+5/10 into UTwente; after ADDX contact info in German.

Also confirmed Saturday January 20 at 2046 UT on WA0RCR, 1860 AM, MO, S9+23 groundwave into nearby SDR, about 4 minutes into, so started about 2042, the 2030v; also on WRMI webcast only, and WRN N American webcast, both no doubt from 2030. Next:

0100 UT Sunday WRMI 9955 to SSE [also web-, phonecast; jammed?]
0330vUT Sunday WA0RCR 1860-AM [nominal 0415; as late as 0600]
1130 UT Sunday WRMI 9955 [also webcast, phonecast; jammed by Cuba?]
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(Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** U S A [and non]. WORLD OF RADIO 2226 monitoring: confirmed UT Sunday January 21 at 0100 on WRMI 9955, S7/S9 into Maryland SDR vs Cuban pulse jamming. Bonaire uptied firstly but at 0115, S7/9+10 with heavier jamming yet still 100% readable if you upput with it.

Also confirmed UT Sunday January 21 at 0418, about 4 minutes into so started about 0414 on WA0RCR, 1860 AM, MO, sufficient direct. Next:

2100 UT Sunday IRRS 1323 & 918? & 207?-Italy
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(Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** U S A [and non]. WORLD OF RADIO 2226 monitoring: confirmed Sunday January 21 at 2100 on IRRS SW via AM Italia, 1323 kHz, S9 but noisy, some S7 fades of audibility into UTwente; VG steady S9+15 into nearby Noale SDR and no QRM at either.

Also confirmed Sunday January 21 at 2232 on Shortwave Radio, Germany, 3975.002, S9/S7 into UTwente; preceded by a DX program in German from ADDX.

Also confirmed UT Monday January 22 at 0035 the 0030 on WRMI 7780, S6/S7 into opposite direxion UTwente where I don`t usually check 7780, but detectable with some CW QRM on about 7778.9

Also confirmed UT Monday January 22 at 0401, on Area 51 via WBCQ 6159.95, S9/+20 direct.

Not confirmed Monday January 22 at 2030 on SW Radio, Germany, no signal on 3975 into UTwente. Later check at 2133 there detects an S7 signal on 3974.997 but nothing audible. No signal to a Finnish SDR but I checked only one of countless. Next:

0330 UT Tuesday WRMI 7780 to SW
1400 UT Tuesday WRMI 9955 to SSE [also web-, phonecast; jammed?]
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(Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** U S A [and non]. WORLD OF RADIO 2226 monitoring: confirmed UT Tuesday January 23 at 0330 on WRMI 7780, S7/S9 into Georgia SDR.

Also confirmed Tuesday January 23 at 1426 the 1400 on WRMI 9955, S8/S9 direct. Next:

0030 UT Wednesday WRMI 9395 to NNW
1200 UT Wednesday Unique R, NSW 5035-USB or 3210-USB
1230 UT Wednesday Unique R, NSW 5035-USB or 3210-USB
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1500 UT Wednesday WRMI 9955 [unsked but reconfirmed Jan 3, 10, 17]
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5850, QRN, 0130, 0158 (55443-4), 0159, January 20 UTC 2024 [Sat]
9395, 0030, 0042, 0056, 0059 (4-55433), (55343), January 24 UTC 2024 [Wed]
(Lemke, Richard -AB)``

Confirmed UT Wednesday January 24 at 0030 on WRMI 9395, S9+10/30 into Missouri SDR.

Also confirmed Wednesday January 24 at 1522 the secret 1500 on WRMI 9955, S7/S9 direct, undermodulated.

Also confirmed Wednesday January 24 at 2058 just in time for the Propagation Outlook, the 2030 on 3975.001, SW Radio, Germany, S7/S9 into UTwente.

But missed checking the Wed 2200 Jan 24 on WBCQ 7490v; anyone hear it? Next:

0130 UT Thursday WRMI 5010 to S
0230 UT Thursday WRMI 9395 to NNW {confirmed}
1730 UT Thursday SW Radio, Germany 3975
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** U S A. WRMI: See CUBA [non]

** U S A. 5800, Jan 23 at 0348, WRMI in English discussion of US involvement in Latin America, `Freedom Synergy Radio`, pro-Taiwan, which is enough for Cuba to jam it, even tho not in Spanish, but WRMI is S9+10/20 atop the noise.

5800, Jan 23 at 0435, ham radio discussion vs jamming, must be the expelled from WTWW, and renamed `Legends`. Bits of that scattered evenings around the WRMI skedgrid, but supposedly not this hour on 5800, rather 5050 & 9455 only. In fact, 5800 not shown on any System after 0400! Something`s odd at Okeechobee (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** U S A. Pre-`AAAWWW` check of WBCQs, UT Sat Jan 20 at 0055 into NH SDR: 3265+ OFF; 5130.304 `ATATT` S8/9+10; 6159.932 TOMBS S9/+10; 7489.970 FKB S9/+10; 9330.00 WLCR Portuguese S9+10/28. Then at 0100 on 7490-: other music and TimTron announces this episode originally aired on Dec 1, 2023; then `WTO` theme and into rerun of UT Dec 2 which I already reported at the time. Never mind (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** U S A. 5085, WTWW: George McClintock informs us at 2130 Jan 18: the heat exchanger was broken by freezing water, so #2 transmitter may be down for 10 or 11 days. After recording that info for WORLD OF RADIO 2226, another update: thinks has found a way to repair it so may not be off for quite that long. Also, once back in service, plans to resume a WORLD OF RADIO airing on WTWW! (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** U S A. 15825, Jan 19 at 1614, WWCR-1 is the SSOB, S9+25/35 with sporadic E boost, slightly distorted, squealing, and splashing some 30 kHz either side. SAWA (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** U S A. Re 730, ``Glenn Wrote in Part: “*only* otherone along this line is KQPN West Memphis AR, U4 1000/1000, 24h talk format, `OvC` per NRC AM Log -- yes, that means Overcomer Ministry = Brother Hystairical! in which case it should be shown as REL. But no TOMBS heard now.”

The AM Radio Log doesn’t list a religious format unless a station has more than one program or a substantial amount of a given format during their broadcast day. A good example in KXEL-1540 which also carries the Overcomer Ministry but it`s a paid segment overnight. Many stations shown with OvC and quite a few with FoF = Focus on the Family have a different primary format. 73 Wayne Heinen N0POH, Editor, NRC AM Radio Log, Aurora, CO`` (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** U S A. 1359.7, Jan 21 at 0407 UT, telltale het against 1360 pile, no doubt KPXQ, Glendale AZ, as in previous report at length, IDed by David Crawford, on the Atlantic coast of FL. But, no sign of my next unID variant now, 1218.1 (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** U S A. 1640 kHz, WSJP, KDMT, WTNI: See OKLAHOMA [and non]

** VANUATU. 7260, Jan 20 at 0754, S6/S8 pop song, must be R. Vanuatu. What is the full frequency sked of this now? It keeps changing.

Current EiBi shows only 1845-1959 on 3945, 1959-2259 & 2300-1105 on 7260. The break at 2259-2300 evidently formerly involved a QSY.

On the contrary, current Aoki shows: 1900-2000 3945, 2000-2400 5040, 2100-0100 5055, 0000-0559 7260, 0600-1000 3945 -- obviously self-contradictory and outdated, like still showing defunct stations such as WWRB on 5050.

In HFCC dated 17 Jan, very first entry is PVL 10 kW, VUT via RNZ FMO: 2485 10-19; 3945 07-10 & 19-24; 5040 20-23; 7260 01-07; 9960 01-07 -- some overlap to cover contingency adjustments but still not accounting for 7260 after 07 (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

UNIDENTIFIED. Trans-Atlantic JBA MW carrier search, Jan 20 at 0418: 684, 711, 774, 1044-strongest, 1053, 1089, 1125; then tune down on other antenna catching a few more: 1107-2, 909, 891, 837 (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

UNIDENTIFIED. Trans-Atlantic JBA MW carrier search, Jan 21 at 0257-0301: 576, 684, 855, 882?, 891, 1044, 1053-strongest, 1089, 1098, 1107. 576 is somewhat unusual: could be 400 kW Algeria, 270 kW Bulgaria, 100 kW Spain, less likely 300 kW Iran, 100 kW Oman. 1053 likely UKQOGBANI synchros led by 150 kW; per mwlist.org (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

UNIDENTIFIED. Trans-Atlantic JBA MW carrier search Jan 22 at 0424: 1566, 1125-2?, 891, 774, 711, 693. This time from top down, 1566 no doubt BENIN. Oh2, soon I`m getting intermittent connexions from both antennas into the R75(Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

UNIDENTIFIED. Trans-Atlantic JBA MW carrier search, Jan 24 at 0351-0358: 684, 738-2 with slow SAH beat, 774, 837, 855-2, 882, 909, 999, 1017, 1026, 1044 & 1053 strongest, 1089 stronger than 1098-2, 1107-3, 1125, 1224, 1422. This on internal N/S shortwire. Standard assumptions, mostly Spain and UK (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

UNIDENTIFIED. 1218.1 approx., Jan 19 at 0720 UT, weak carrier hetting 1220.0 stations; nothing this low at mwoffsets --- same as logged Dec 14, 2023 at 0751 in previous report. How about some help, others checking for this? NRC AM Log shows there are 41 UStations on ``1220`` - with peanut power at night vs 50 kW WHKW Cleveland; and two 10 kW Canadians aiming north. No biggies in USA west of Ohio, 1220 rather owned by XEB CDMX, allegedly 100/100 kW, 24h but never heard. 1220 sounds like a graveyard (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

UNIDENTIFIED [and non]. Re my 1218.1 carrier het: Terry Krueger replied at 0127 UT Jan 20: ``I am no value in that I can only tell you what *isn’t* offset after sunset here in extreme NW Floriduh tonight. The below are all essentially on 1220, not offset.

WAYE Birmingham AL is in Spanish with lots of local spots. Pseudo Mexi-tunes.

Someone fake C&W with constant canned drops by female as “My Country 12-20 AM.” Pointing slightly more west. Curious who this is. I’m sure I missed NRC/IRCA updates on this.

Someone else threshold in Spanish, maybe the big XEco station. Kinda pointing thataway. Uselessly yours, TLK``

And then David Crawford, FL: ``No hint here at 0130 Z. But cubana Radio Caribe 1219.996 is playing some nice danzón music. К победе!``

I reply ``Tnx, youse guys for the rapid responses. Well, outruling is beginning of process. In NRC AM Log, the only 1220 as ``My Country`` but not including the frequency as printed, is WSLM, Salem IN U4 5000/82. No FM xltr shown so would have to mention 1220 if any. Glenn``

Terry Replies at 0331: ``Interesting. At 0041, there was a very clear “…right here in Salem…” The fake C&W could have been bumper music. So, probably WSLM per your digs. Thanx. Still, nothing else low 1220 het here in defacto lower Abalama`` (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

UNIDENTIFIED. 8992 USB, Jan 19 at 1627, US military alfanumeric crypto exercise, S9, all fonetik with self-imposed background noise for effect. Repeating several times: ``ASWHLZ Stand By``. Then ``message follows``, starts with same sextet, easily copied fully:

``ASWHLZORWNBKSYXR6RH7E7KSQ8X4SG - I say again ---`` - if there be any errors, from my scribble confusing Y with 4 or S with 5. EiBi calls 8992 ``US Air Force Messages``, also on 4724, 11175, 15016 (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

UNIDENTIFIED. 12105, Jan 23 at 1624, S5/S8 open carrier: something about to sign on? No, still DA at 1631. Nothing in EiBi, but Aoki shows at 14-17 RFE/RL in Taj via Lampertheim, Germany. Tajik?? WRTH 2024 does not show that language anywhen from RFE/RL which is almost gone from SW; nor RFA nor various other USAGM substations. Aoki info may be outdated, like many more obvious entries. RFE/RL did emit Tajik in WRTH 2005 handily consulted. So what is this? (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

UNIDENTIFIED. 13800 USB, Jan 19 at 1618, weak 2-way seems in Spanish, INTRUDERS (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

UNIDENTIFIED. 88.1 FM, Jan 24 at 2134 UT, praise song in Spanish, $tereo; could be Es, MUF barely into FM band: DXMAPs had shown Es caught eastward from Nevada if not exactly here, so I`m half-bandscanning on caradio. But 2136 segué praise song in English, and signal is rather too steady for Es. Could KMSI Moore OK Oasis Network mix Spanish & English? It`s a normal fringe-area signal here vying with KWOU Woodward. WTFDA DB unshows any Spanish/Religious on 88.1 west of NM. Retune by 2139 the 88.1 now has OK underwriting (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

UNIDENTIFIED. 92.1, Jan 22 at 2115 UT, snippet of YL in Spanish, in caradio bandscan since it`s foggy and area reception might be enhanced. But otherwise if anything, it`s subnormal. Except she has to be DX, maybe MS or Es, as there are no OK or KS in SS on 92.1. TX has six, only two of those not LP or xltrs, Alice and Carrizo Springs.

Is there Es? By 2342 UT check of 6 m map, there is! MUF 99 MHz, multi-angled, but the nexus is in SW OK, two close to be helpful here. Earlier could have been Mex with plenty of Spanish. I have not had *any* definite Es on FM this winter. It has not been unusual for the map to show MUF just below or slightly above 88 MHz.

By 0015 UT Jan 23, DXMAP is showing Zerr in NV contracting FM DX from KS so there must be another patch half out thataway, so around 0030 I brave the freezish rain and Spanish needles for another caradio DX check: no, nothing unusual in 88-98 MHz surveyed a couple times (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)